



NIAS ANNUAL STUDENT COLLOQUIA - 2018

SCHOOL OF CONFLICT AND SECURITY STUDIES

Tuesday, April 17th, 2018

Venue: Auditorium, NIAS

Dean: D Suba Chandran

Time	Name	Title
9:00-9:15 am Coffee/Tea		
9:20-9:30 am Welcome Address by Director		
Session I (9:30 am to 1:30 pm)		
9:30-9:50	B R Guruprasad	Contribution of external and indigenous technological elements to India's Space capabilities: An appraisal
9:50-10:10	Murali Murti	Knowledge Processes and their role in Innovation: A comparison of Chinese and Indian practices
10:10-10:30	Shyam Hari P	Understanding Political Conflict and Alliance Formation: A Case Study of two Villages in Kerala
10:30-10:50	Sherin Ajin	Spatializing Nation-state through the Discourses of Development and Security at the Borderland: A Case Study of Tawang
10:50-11:10	Surya Sankar Sen	Implications of Local Conflicts on Bilateral Relations: Cases of Land Boundary and Enclave Conflicts on India-Bangladesh Relations

SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES

Dean: Sharada Srinivasan

11:10-11:30	Samiksha Bajpai	A Cognitive analysis of the compound verb in Hindi. Language : English
11:30-11:50	Sumitra S	Creative collectives: A case study of collaborative practices in Karnataka
11:50-12:10	K. N. Venkatesh	Evaluation of Mysore Painting: Exploring the role of Royal Patrons in the emergence of styles in the 18th and 19th Centuries
12:10-12:30	Krupa Rajangham	Study on Resident communities and conservation practice: Case of Hampi World Heritage site
12:30-12:50	Varun S Bhatta	Philosophical Analysis of Matter in Contemporary Physics
12:50-1:10	S Siddharth	A Study on the Metaphysics of Conscious Experience
1:10-2:00 Lunch Break		
2:00-2:20	Aditi Kathpalia	Theoretical and Experimental Investigations into Causality, its Measures and Applications
2:20-2:40	Ekta Gupta	Advancing archaeological and geomorphological understanding of the Indian Coast using old cartographic and visual records
2:40-3:00	Kuili Suganya	Geospatial Analysis of Ancient Water Features in the Archaeological Landscape of Malaprabha River Valley
3:00-3:30 Coffee/Tea Break		

SCHOOL OF NATURAL SCIENCES AND ENGINEERING

Dean: Sindhu Radhakrishna

3:30-3:50	Neesha Dutt	Urban Greens - Ecological impacts and socio-economic drivers of turfgrass ecosystems
3:50-4:10	Priya Gupta	Interface of exclusionary conservation policies and rights of communities: Case study of a Protected Area
4:10-4:30	Priyam Laxmi Borgohain	Downstream Environmental and Socio-Economic Impacts of the Ranganadi Hydel Project in Northeast India
4:30-4:50	Nishant Srinivasaiah	Grabbing the Bull by the Tusks: Behavioural Ecology of the Male Asian Elephant in a Human-Dominated Landscape
4:50-5:10	Shaurabh Anand	Patterns and Determinants of Human-rhesus Macaque Conflict
5:10-5:30	Sashi Kiran C	Understanding and modeling residential electricity demand in India

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9:30-9:50	Vijay C S	Electricity system modelling for large scale renewable integration in India
9:50-10:10	Sreedhar Vijayakrishnan	<i>Seeing the Elephant: Socioecology and Physiology of the Female Asian Elephant <i>Elephas maximus</i> in an Anthropogenic Landscape in Southern India</i>
10:10-10:30	Coffee/Tea Break	
10:30-10:50	Nitesh S A	Other minds: philosophical and empirical approaches in the conceptualization of the nonhuman mind
10:50-11:10	Jahnvi Sharma	Towards self-sustaining ecosystem: conceptualization and assessment for opencast coal mine closure
11:10-11:30	Sarvajeet K Sinha	Consolidation of Laws Related to Environment Protection in Surface Coal Mining in India - Prospects and Challenges
11:30-11:50	S Vignesh	Interactions of Consent: Human - Bovine Relations in Tamil Nadu
11:50-12:10	Ashni K Dhawale	<i>Monkey on a Hot Tin Roof</i> Ecological and Behavioural Adaptations of Lion-Tailed Macaques to a Rainforest–Anthropogenic Habitat Matrix in the Western Ghats Mountains of Southern India

SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

Dean: Anitha Kurup

12:10-12:30	Shatarupa Bhattacharya	Interaction between Development and Festival: Durga, Kali and Bonbibi-Dakhinray in the Sundarbans
12:30-12:50	Rashmi M	Mobile phones and changing Media consumption practices in Bangalore
12:50-1:10	Anamika Ajay	The Impact of Development on Social Conflicts: Case studies of Intra-Family and Inter-Group Strife in two villages in Kerala
1:10-1:30	Ankita Rathi	Transition from village to town: A study of two settlements in Punjab
1:30-2:00 Lunch Break		
2:00-2:20	Savitha Suresh Babu	Welfare hostels in higher education: Understanding the experiences of Dalit and Adivasi women students
2:20-2:40	Anupama Mahajan	Contours of lived experiences of children identified as gifted in India
2:40-3:00	Keya Baradalai	Northeast Women Migrants in Delhi: Aesthetic Labour in the New Consumer Economy
3:00-3:20	Meera Sudhakar	Policy Implementation as a Social Process – A Case Study of Niranthara Jyothi Programme in Karnataka
3:20-3:30 Coffee/Tea Break		
3:30-3:50	Vijayashree C S	Understanding Ritual Objects: An Ethnography of Bhuta Visual Culture
3:50-4:10	Subroto Dey	Dreams and Discontents: Understanding career and life-path of high school students in Mandla, Madhya Pradesh
4:10-4:30	Snehashish Mitra	Contestations over urban land and environment: Negotiating citizenship in the hills of Guwahati
4:30-4:50	Chandana R Bindu	Patterns of Response to Inequality in relation to the Development Process: A study of two Villages in Gujarat and Kerala
4:50-5:10	Shilajit Sengupta	POLITICAL CONSEQUENCES OF INTRA-VILLAGE INEQUALITIES IN RURAL TRANSFORMATION : A study of Two villages in West Bengal
5:10-5:30	Ajit Kumar Babu	Inequalities in the process of former agriculturists learning non-agricultural skills
5:30-5:50	Cheshta Arora	Scientific, Technological, and Gendered relations: An ethnographic study of women scientists, engineers & factory workers
5:50-6:00 Programme ends - Coffee/Tea		

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